September 16, 1964

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Rankin

FROM: Mr. Liebeler

I would like to request reconsideration on your decision this afternoon not to include within the text of Chapter VII the two sets of pictures which tend to show part of Oswald's development from the time he lived in New York until the time after his arrest by the Dallas police. We have gone to considerable effort to put these pictures together and they show very dramatically the changes that took place in Oswald from the time the Bronx Zoo picture was taken until the time he was finally held by the Dallas police. A comparison of CE 2963, taken at about the time of Oswald's defection, with CEs 2891, 2892, 2788 and 2964 show dramatic changes in Oswald. These changes have been remarked upon by almost everyone who has seen these pictures and I think it would be desirable for readers of the Report to see these changes for themselves.

In order to deal with the concern you expressed about CE 2964, I attach some other photographs which I obtained from the WASHINGTON POST which might be used to show Oswald after his arrest instead of CE 2964.

attachments